

JOINT TASK FORCE - FULL ACCOUNTING
BIOGRAPHIC/SITE REPORT AS OF 17 DECEMBER 1993

===== BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION =====

REFNO: 0995-0-01 (ACCNO 6160)
Name: BOLES, WARREN WILLIAM

Status: (A) DEAD BODY NOT RECOVERED
Date Status assigned: 11 Jul 1974

Nationality	AMERICAN	Race	CAUCASIAN	Blood Chit	DATA
Service	NAVY	Sex	MALE	Blood type	# #
Grade	02	Hair	BROWN	Complexion	#
SSAN		Eyes	BLUE	Weapon	#
Serial No	DATA	Height	78 in / 1.98 mtrs	Weapon No	#
Birth date	14 Dec 1940	Weight	205 lb / 92.9 kg	Duty pos	PILOT
Home State	MASSACHUSETTS	Religion	#	PW Camp	\$

===== SITE INFORMATION =====

INCIDENT LOCATION (0)

Site Type: WATER SITE
UTM: 48QYG081553
Lat/Long: 192859N / 1065859E
Country: OVER WATER - VN
Military Region: \$
Mission Province: VN - OVERWATER
(formerly):
Mission District: VN - OVERWATER
Mission Date: 18 Jan 1968
Mission Category: 3
Local Analysis: None.

===== JTF-FA ACTIVITY SUMMARY =====

No Information Available

===== VEHICLE DATA =====

Vehicle Type: F4B	Serial: 153055
Crash Type: Enemy action	Engine Type: J79
Call Sign: LINFIELD 212	1 Serial: #
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REFNO: 0995-0-02 (ACCNO 6161)
Name: ROEHRICH, RONALD L

Status: (A) DEAD BODY NOT RECOVERED
Date Status assigned: 11 Jul 1974

Nationality	AMERICAN	Race	CAUCASIAN	Blood Chit	DATA
Service	NAVY	Sex	MALE	Blood type	# #
Grade	02	Hair	BROWN	Complexion	#
SSAN		Eyes	BROWN	Weapon	#
Serial No	DATA	Height	67 in / 1.70 mtrs	Weapon No	#
Birth date	16 Nov 1941	Weight	165 lb / 74.7 kg	Duty pos	RIO
Home State	ARKANSAS	Religion	#	PW Camp	\$

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=== CIRCUMSTANCES OF LOSS ===

18 January 1976

ON 18 JANUARY 1968 LTJG WARREN W. BOLES, PILOT, AND LTJG RONALD L. ROEHRICH, RADAR INTERCEPT OFFICER, WERE THE CREW OF AN F4B AIRCRAFT (BUNO #153055), ON A BARRIER COMBAT AIR PATROL MISSION WHEN ALL CONTACT WITH THE AIRCRAFT WAS LOST IN THE VICINITY OF GRID COORDINATES YG 081 553. ENROUTE TO RENDEZVOUS, THE AIRCRAFT WAS VECTORED TO INVESTIGATE A SURFACE CONTACT BELOW THE OVERCAST. THE PILOT DESCENDED, AND AFTER VISUAL IDENTIFICATION OF THE TARGET AS NON-HOSTILE. ALL RADAR AND RADIO CONTACT WAS LOST, ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY, A FLASH WAS SEEN IN THE DIRECTION OF THE LAST CONTACT.

18 March 1976

A SEARCH WAS BEGUN IMMEDIATELY, AND SEARCH AND RESCUE FORCES IN THE AREA REPORTED SEEING AN OIL SLICK AND FLOATING DEBRIS. THE AIRCRAFT WRECKAGE AS WELL AS FLIGHT HELMETS WERE DISCOVERED NEAR THE POINT WHERE ALL CONTACT WAS LOST, BUT NO BODIES WERE RECOVERED. (REF 1)

AN OVERWATER/AT-SEA CASUALTY RESOLUTION OPERATION WAS CONDUCTED DURING THE PERIOD OF JULY THROUGH SEPTEMBER 1973 TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY/DESIRABILITY OF EXPANDING SUCH OPERATIONS TO BE USED IN CASES SUCH AS THIS. BASED ON THE COMBINED FACTORS OF COST AND LACK OF ANY POSITIVE RESULTS WHATSOEVER, THE AT-SEA OPERATIONS WERE TERMINATED. THESE INDIVIDUALS' NAMES AND IDENTIFYING DATA WERE TURNED OVER TO FOUR-PARTY JOINT MILITARY TEAM WITH A REQUEST FOR ANY INFORMATION AVAILABLE. NO RESPONSE WAS FORTHCOMING. LTJG BOLES AND LTJG ROEHRICH ARE CURRENTLY CARRIED IN THE PRESUMPTIVE STATUS OF DEAD, REMAINS NONRECOVERABLE.

=== REFERENCES ===

18 March 1976

REFERENCES USED: <1> LTR, JCRC-CDD, 7 JUN 74.

=== NEGOTIATION ACTIONS ===

13 December 1993

DURING THE 28 JULY 1993 POW/MIA TECHNICAL MEETING IN HANOI, A LIST OF CASES INVOLVING 168 UNACCOUNTED-FOR PERSONNEL PRESUMABLY LOST OVER WATER AT LEAST 10 KILOMETERS FROM THE COAST OF VIETNAM WAS PASSED TO THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT. THE VIETNAMESE WERE ASKED TO UNILATERALLY REVIEW THEIR RECORDS FOR RELEVANT INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THESE CASES.

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=== ASSOCIATED INDIVIDUALS ===

18 March 1976

ASSOCIATED INDIVIDUALS: WARREN W. BOLES 0995-0-01, AND RONALD L. ROEHRICH 0995-0-02.